

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

First Named

Inventor : Yukiko Kubota

Appln. No.: 10/650,302

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For : HIGH MOMENT DIRECTIONALLY
TEXTURED SOFT MAGNETIC
UNDERLAYER IN A MAGNETIC
STORAGE MEDIUM

Docket No.: S01.12-0965/STL 11036.00

Group Art Unit: 1773

Examiner: Holly C.
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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND FEE

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated April 4, 2005. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$620.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time (\$120.00) and Notice of Appeal (\$500.00). If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123. A duplicate of this Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.

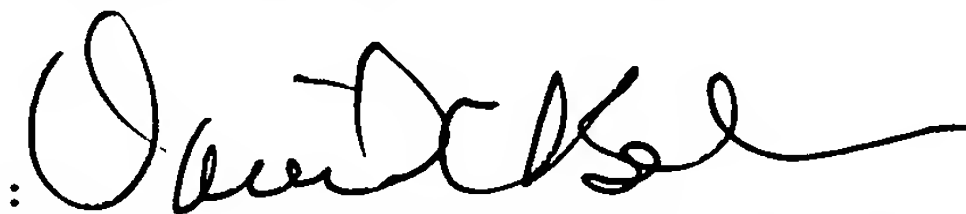
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